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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

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For: APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR Examiner: Manay Seth

FORMING SHOE INSERTS

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Madam:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed April 1, 2009, issued in connection with the above-identified application, please consider the following remarks.

Remarks

By this Office Action, the Examiner has required restriction to one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C. §121:

- Claims 1-9, drawn to an invention for enabling formation of foot impressions which includes heating and cooling of impressions platforms, classified in class 036, subclass 98.
- II. Claims 10-13, drawn to an invention for forming shoe inserts for a consumer by forming shoe insert contours in the digitally controlled milling machine, classified in class 382, subclass 199.